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Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 05725.1264-01000

In re Application of: Xavier BLIN et al. Application No.: To Be Assigned Group Art Unit (in parent): 1615 (Continuation of 10/784,948) Examiner (in parent): K. E. Weddington Filed: December 20, 2007 Confirmation No.: To Be Assigned For: COSMETIC COMPOSITION COMPRISING A DISPERSION OF AT LEAST ONE POLYMER PARTICLE AND AT LEAST ONE ACID AND AT LEAST ONE POLYOL ESTER

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant petitions for a five month extension of time further to the Office Action mailed June 20, 2007, extending the due date for taking further action in this case to December 20, 2007. A fee of \$2,230.00 is enclosed.

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Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully Submitted,

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW, GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

Dated: December 20, 2007

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